
By: Howard County Delegation

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CHAPTER ____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Howard County - Alcoholic Beverages**
3 **(Fines)**
4 **Ho. Co. 4-97**

5 FOR the purpose of altering the fine that the Board of License Commissioners of
6 Howard County may impose; permitting the Board to both impose a fine and
7 suspend a license; clarifying language; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages
8 in Howard County.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
11 Section 16-507(o)
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (1996 Replacement Volume)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

17 16-507.

18 (o) (1) [In] THIS SUBSECTION APPLIES ONLY IN Howard County[, the].

19 (2) THE Board of License Commissioners may impose a fine of not more
20 than [\$1,000] \$2,000 per offense or suspend a license, OR BOTH, for any violation that is
21 cause for suspension under the alcoholic beverage laws affecting Howard County. All
22 moneys collected under this subsection shall be deposited into the general funds of the
23 County.

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1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
2 October 1, 1997.